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Just an FYI-

We received 12 resubmissions from Brockton on 2/25 that we originally analyzed back in 2009 that are related to an ATF investigation. They need a cocaine base identification so we will need to do an IR. The complication is that a number of different analysts are involved, the real challenge being that three of the samples belong to Nicole and two belong to Stacy.

I spoke to Glenn MacKinlay who would like to round up the suspects by the end of March, therefore, waiting until May when Nicole returns is not feasible. So....how should we handle the analysis for these five samples in question? Should we assign them to another chemist to analyze from start to finish? They are primarily 1-2 bags of crack, nothing complicated.

Thanks,

Betsy